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RECOMMENDATIONS REGARDING 2010/2011 ARTS INTERNSHIP PROGRAM REPORT AND BUDGET ADJUSTMENT (ALL DISTRICTS) (4 VOTES)

SUBJECT

The Arts Internship Program provides paid 10-week summer internships for undergraduate college students at nonprofit performing arts, literary and arts service organizations. The program is implemented in partnership with The Getty Foundation, which supports internships at museums and visual arts organization.

The Getty Foundation provides financial support to Los Angeles County for the educational components of its annual Arts Internship Program. Due to the ongoing commitment of the County Board of Supervisors, The Getty Foundation has awarded the Arts Commission a new grant to design and implement a professional development program for past participants of the Los Angeles County Arts Internship and The Getty Foundation's Multicultural Undergraduate Internship programs, the Leadership in Arts Management Program.

IT IS RECOMMENDED THAT YOUR BOARD:

1. Authorize the Executive Director to accept \$157,000 in funds from The Getty Foundation for the implementation of the educational components of the

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2010 and 2011 Arts Internship Programs and the Leadership in Arts Management Program and increase the Arts Commission's appropriation for FY2010/11 by the same amount.

2. Approve the Budget Adjustment for \$157,000 to Services and Supplies.

PURPOSE/JUSTIFICATION OF RECOMMENDED ACTION

The purpose of this recommended action is to accept \$157,000 in funding from The Getty Foundation to support the educational components of the 2010 and 2011 Arts Internship Programs and implement the Leadership in Arts Management Program. The Getty Foundation has provided financial support for the educational components of the Arts Internship Program annually since 1999. However, due to the timing of the Board of Supervisor's funding for the program this year, these grants were not included in the FY2010/2011 budget:

2010 Arts Internship Program

A grant totaling \$33,000 was awarded to the Arts Commission to support the educational components of the 2010 Arts Internship Program.

2011 Arts Internship Program

A grant of \$45,000 is expected to be awarded to the Arts Commission to support the educational components of the 2011 Arts Internship Program.

Leadership in Arts Management Program

The Getty Foundation has also awarded the Arts Commission \$79,000 to design and implement the Leadership in Arts Management Program. The seven-month workforce development program will provide 20-25 participants with in-depth training on a range of arts management and leadership topics. The Leadership in Arts Management Program will extend the County's and Getty's investment in developing the nonprofit arts workforce by providing training to past participants in the County Arts Internship and Getty Foundation's Multicultural Undergraduate Arts Internship programs who are actively employed at a nonprofit arts organization in Los Angeles County and possess at least two years of experience working in the nonprofit arts sector.

<u>Implementation of Strategic Plan Goals</u>

The recommended action is consistent with the County's targeted outcomes in support of education and workforce readiness. The recommended action is also consistent with the Los Angeles County Economic Development Corporation's Strategic Plan for Economic Development, Goal 1, Objective 2: prepare an educated workforce and ensure that businesses have enough workers with the right skill sets to meet their needs.

FISCAL IMPACT/FINANCING

The Arts Internship Program was created in 1999/2000 using ongoing County General Funds. Funding for the Arts Internship Program was eliminated from the budget in 2009/2010. However, delivery of the program has remained seamless as one-time allocations of \$250,000, representing a 50% reduction in funding, were approved by the Board of Supervisors for 2009/2010 and 2010/2011.

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The County allocation of \$250,000 supports 74-75 internships throughout Los Angeles County.

Funds from The Getty Foundation enhance the County's investment by providing financial support to further interns' skills and knowledge of nonprofit arts management though participation in an arts summit and engagement in learning sessions exploring topics affecting arts organizations.

The budget adjustment requested for services and supplies fully funds the educational components of the Arts Internship Program and the Leadership in Arts Management Program. This action has no impact on net County cost.

FACTS AND PROVISIONS/LEGAL REQUIREMENTS

Not applicable.

<u>IMPACT ON CURRENT SERVICES (OR PROJECTS)</u>

The Arts Internship Program is a workforce development program that provides jobs and develops future arts leaders to serve in staff positions, as board members, and volunteers in organizations that provide cultural services to County residents. In previous years the Arts Internship Program was open to "full-time undergraduate college students." Given that many community college students are not able to attend college full-time, due in part to the decreasing availability of classes, the Arts Commission has expanded the eligibility for students to "currently enrolled undergraduate college students."

CONCLUSION

This program insures that a wide variety of cultural services will continue to reach County residents in a timely manner and positively impacts the residents of Los Angeles County through increased job opportunities.

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Respectfully submitted,

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Executive Director

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Enclosures

c: Chief Executive Office County Counsel Arts Deputies

COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES

REQUEST FOR APPROPRIATION ADJUSTMENT

DEPT'S. 061 NO.

DEPARTMENT OF Board of Supervisors

January 18, 2011

AUDITOR-CONTROLLER:

THE FOLLOWING APPROPRIATION ADJUSTMENT IS DEEMED NECESSARY BY THIS DEPARTMENT. PLEASE CONFIRM THE ACCOUNTING ENTRIES AND AVAILABLE BALANCES AND FORWARD TO THE CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER FOR HIS RECOMMENDATION OR ACTION.

ADJUSTMENT REQUESTED AND REASONS THEREFOR

FY 2010-11 4 - VOTES

SOURCES

USES

Arts Commission A01 - BS - 94 - 9711 - 28400 Miscellaneous Revenue - \$157,000 Increase Revenue

Arts Commission A01 - BS - 2000 - 28400 Services & Supplies - \$157,000 Increase Appropriation

SOURCES TOTAL: \$ 157,000

USES TOTAL: \$ 157,000

JUSTIFICATION

This is to collect a grant from Getty Foundation to support the Arts Commission's Arts Internship program for Fiscal Year 10-11.

ARD OF SUPERVISORS

AUTHORIZED SIGNATURE Laura Zucker

REFERRED TO THE CHIEF **EXECUTIVE OFFICER FOR ---** ACTION

APPROVED AS REQUESTED

RECOMMENDATION

APPROVED AS REVISED

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CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER

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